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DETAILED ACTION

1. Claims 1-32 are allowed.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

2. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Francis Maguire (Reg. No. 31,931) on 12/1/10.

The application has been amended as follows:

22. (Currently Amended) A terminal device comprising:

a processor; and

a memory including computer program code, the memory and the computer program code configured to, with the processor, cause the terminal device at least to:

load an encrypted application into a secure environment of said terminal device;

and

decrypt said encrypted application in said secure environment using a first key provided over a secure channel from a server external to said terminal device;

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re-encrypt said application in said secure environment by means of a second key;

and

store the re-encrypted application outside said secure environment.

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to SHIN-HON CHEN whose telephone number is (571)272-3789. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday through Friday 8:30am to 5:30pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, William R. Korzuch can be reached on (571) 272-7589. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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